

## **REMARKS/ARGUMENTS**

### **I. Status of the Claims**

Claims 1-17 are pending in this application. Claims 1-17 are subject to a Restriction Requirement. No new matter has been added.

### **II. Response to the Restriction Requirement**

The Examiner has restricted the pending claims into the following two groups:

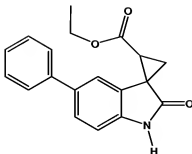
<b><u>Group #</u></b>	<b><u>Claim Numbers</u></b>
I.	1-10
II.	11-17

The claims are restricted into two groups. Applicants elect Group I for prosecution on the merits. The claims of Group I are drawn to products of Formula I. Each of claims 1-10 fall within Group I.

The election of the claims of Group I is made with traverse. Claims 1-17 emerge from a common inventive concept and Applicants respectfully submit that searching the compounds of claims 1-10 as well as the methods of claims 11-17 would not be an undue burden on the Examiner.

#### **a.) Election of Species**

Applicants elect the species described as compound 16 in Figure 1D as the starting point for the search. This compound is described by claim 6 when R<sup>11</sup> is unsubstituted ethyl, R<sup>6</sup> is H, R<sup>6'</sup> is H and R<sup>3</sup> is unsubstituted phenyl. This translates into the following structure:



**CONCLUSION**

In view of the foregoing, Applicants believe all claims now pending in this Application are in condition for allowance. The issuance of a formal Notice of Allowance at an early date is respectfully requested.

If the Examiner believes a telephone conference would expedite prosecution of this application, please telephone the undersigned at 415-442-1000.

Respectfully submitted,

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